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TWENTY-THIRD YEAR

EARLINGTON, HOPKINS COUNTY, KY., TUESDAY, JANUARY 2, 1912

No. 1

MAJOR RASH CHOSEN MAYOR

Mayor Bourland Resigns Because
He Will Soon Move to
Texas

Important Ordinances to Standard-
ize Our Fire Protection

Earlington Will Soon Get Benefit of Im-
proved Conditions in Lower
Insurance Rates

CITY MARSHAL BRADLEY AND
NIGHT CHIEF HAMBY RE-ELECTED

The Earlington City Council last night elected Major Frank D. Rash Mayor to fill the unexpired term of Hon. Henry C. Bourland, resigned to make his home in Texas in a short time. Mayor Bourland has filled this responsible office with credit to himself and with unwavering devotion to the interests of the city over which he has presided with honor. Henry has a host of sincere friends who regret his retirement and prospective removal to another state and in this feeling the community at large earnestly shares. He was elected as a member of the City Council Dec. 2, 1900, and served in that capacity until Jan. 1, 1911, when he was elected Mayor to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Hon. Jas. B. Rash and was reelected November, 1911. The selection of Major Rash will meet the hearty sanction of the people of Earlington, who delight to do him honor. It is but a little while since his father, Hon. James B. Rash, occupied the same office with distinction for several terms.

City Marshal William Bradley was reelected as was Night Chief Hamby, and both of these officers have accepted the honor and responsibility put upon them.

The Earlington Fire Department was organized yesterday as follows: Henry Rogers, Chief; F. B. Arnold, Assistant Chief; Charles Barnett, Captain; Claude Long, Gilbert Long, W. D. Cavanaugh, Brick Southworth, Baker Fugate, Geo. T. Miller, Will Rayburn, Bryant Deal.

The city council did another important thing last night in the passage of a model set of ordinances, designed to meet the standard insurance requirements, for the best fire protection and fire fighting facilities. These ordinances will be published in the Bee in full for the information of the Earlington public.

This action puts almost the finishing touch upon a movement which was begun some months ago upon the initiative of Paul M. Moore with the purpose of standardizing Earlington's water system and all facilities and conditions for protection against fire. Upon Mr. Moore's request a careful "town report" of Earlington was made by an insurance expert, who sent to Mr. Moore this report and a careful schedule of specifications for the standardizing of all conditions here. These specifications received the endorsement of Mr. John B. Atkinson, who directed the important changes and large expenditure necessary to be made by his company in water mains, standpipes, pumps etc., and the plan received the full endorsement of Mayor Bourland and the members of the City Council, which body went heartily into doing the things asked of them. This work has been especially forwarded to Mayor Rash with the ready assistance of Capt. Paul Price, City Clerk, and all of the councilmen.

A large and powerful pump has been installed at the Loch Mary pumping station, by the St. Bernard, which will much more than meet the standard requirement. But one or two details yet are to be worked out by the Council and the plan will be completed and Earlington go automatically into class A and a half and be given lower insurance. This is certainly a way for the City to start the year.

Lively as a Boy.

You are tired, run down, have a little get a bottle of Yucatan tonic. A few doses will set you strong and lively as a year-old. Purifies the blood, lengthens the system. 50c a bottle at the St. Bernard Mining Corporation, Drug Department.

Society Happenings

Miss Davis Entertains

Miss Lena May Davis entertained some of her young friends on last Wednesday evening. The time passed very quickly and pleasantly as the various games and contest were enjoyed. Miss Mary Martin won the girl's prize and Master Carl Umstead the boy's. Before leaving for home a salad course was served. Those present were Misses Sarah Crutchfield, Jane Foard, Sarah Featherston, Gladys Whitford, Mary Martin and Florel Wright the Messrs. Tommie Featherston, Howard Arnold, Carl Umstead, Malcolm Stokes, Jack Whitford and Manuel Rodgers of Nashville.

East End Card Club

The last meeting of the card club who held with Mrs. W. H. Kline all of the members being present. Mrs. Davis made the highest score the following ladies were ahead with the total score. Mesdames Rule, McKinnon, Kline and Atkinson. At the conclusion of the game the hostess served a salad course.

Matinee Party

The ladies of St. Margaret's Guild entertained their junior members Saturday afternoon with a matinee party. They went in a body to Madisonville and visited the Princess and upon their return refreshments were served at Mrs. Banks'. The table was beautifully decorated. Covers were laid for the following: Misses Mary Martin, Lena Davis, Sue Wade Davis, Kathleen Stone, Nan Atkinson and Bertha Vaught. The favors were tiny bon bon boxes tied with pink.

Headaches Signs of Danger.

Anyone in this town that suffers frequently from splitting, nervous headaches ought to go at once to the drugist and get a 25c bottle of our Carlsbad's German Liver Powder. Headaches always indicate constipation in a dangerous form, that may result in other extremely serious ailments—sometimes even Bright's Disease and Appendicitis. Our Carlsbad's German Liver Powder acts on the Liver, the real cause of constipation—a few doses entirely remove the trouble—insure a lasting cure—never fails—guaranteed—if you have headaches, get a bottle today from the St. Bernard Mining Co., Incorporated, Drug Department. 25c a bottle.

SUCCESSFUL ENTERTAINMENT

Given at Cave City Friday Night by Madisonville Talent

C. F. Wimberly and daughter Miss Bernice and Miss Olyne Prather of Madisonville gave a very successful entertainment at Cave City Friday night for the benefit of the Methodist church at that place. Mr. Wimberly gave several interesting readings, Miss Wimberly and Miss Prather charmed the audience by their excellent rendition of a number of vocal, violin and piano solos and duets. In spite of the bad rainy weather the house was well filled and a nice sum was realized.

New Officers for the Year 1912 Elected by Christian Sunday School

After the regular lesson, the annual election of officers for 1912 for the Christian Sunday School was held, with the following result: Frank D. Rash, Superintendent. Henry D. Coward, Asst. Supt. W. L. Phillips, Secretary. Edgar Arnold, Asst. Secretary. Mrs. W. R. Coyle, Organist. Miss Susan Marie Crutchfield, Assistant Organist.

Jas. B. Rash, Director of Music. A splendid year's work was done in 1911, under the superintendency of Mr. F. B. Arnold and it will require earnest effort on the part of every officer, teacher and scholar to equal the excellent record of the Sunday School for the past year.

Judge Givens Takes Charge of the Gleaner

Judge C. C. Givens the well known newspaper man, of Madisonville, has assumed active control of the Henderson Gleaner, and will devote considerable of his time to this paper. C. C. Givens, Jr., who has made an able city editor, of the Hustler, will go with the Gleaner as city editor. Otto Fowler will have charge of the business department of the Hustler, and Judge Givens will continue to have charge of the policy of the paper and editorial department.

NIGHT RIDER TAG- TICS AT MARION

Warfare Against Independent
Buyers Resumed

HOME GUARDS REVIVED

Marion, Ky., Dec. 30.—W. L. Verner, depot agent at this place for the Illinois Cent. railroad, it is said has received a number of anonymously signed letters stating in threatening language that he must furnish no more cars for the shipment of tobacco purchased by independent buyers, predicting dire results should he persist in doing so. Mr. Verner could not be seen, but it is said he does not deny having received such letters.

Since the burning of the tobacco warehouse at Crayne in this county a few weeks ago, R. H. Kemp, who buys for an independent tobacco house in Louisville, has received threatening letters telling him not to deliver any more tobacco and threatening to burn him out of house and home should he persist in doing so. Since then the home guards have been closely watching the house, and Mr. Kemp has continued delivering tobacco on board cars here and running it into Louisville. It is supposed that the letters Mr. Verner has received were from the same source as those of Mr. Kemp.

A Texas Wonder

The Texas Wonder cures kidney and cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism, and all irregularities of bladder troubles, removing gravel and bladder and bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggists will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.00. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for testimonials from Ky. and other states, Dr. E. W. Hall, 2235 Olive street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.

Dragged off Engine by Sand Bin and Injured

Arthur Meacham, son of Bud Meacham, was riding on the engine of the train he was breaking on, Friday, December 29th, and as they passed the sand bin in the yards leaving town, was dragged off on account of the steam, which hid the bin. It made him very sick, but he is not thought to be seriously hurt. It was necessary to get a carriage to take him home. The accident occurred about 11:30.

Always Blessed

With a hearty appetite if you use Digestese. It helps your stomach do the work, digests what you eat and makes good rich blood from your food. No more Sleepless Nights, Headache or Stomach Misery. Get rid of all these troubles with Digestese. Fifty cents a bottle, worth tenfold its cost, at drug department of the St. Bernard Mining Company, Incorporated.

OPERA HOUSE

Monday, Jan. 8th

LOWREY &
MORGAN'S
LIGHT
INSTRELS

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PROF. P. G. LOWREY
and his BIG BAND

6 funny end men 6
10 High Class 10
Ballad Singers

25 FUNNY
COLORED
PEOPLE 25

Band Concert in front of Theatre
at 7:45.

Street Parade at 12:00.

Prices, — 50 & 75c.

Seats on sale at News Stand

Isles Happenings

Ben Salmon attended the dance at Madisonville.

L. O. Collins is visiting in Christian county this week.

Jeff Russell, the popular salesman in the Crabtree Coal Co. store, is in Richland this week.

Xmas has been very dull here. Not a dance.

Thos. F. Ashmore and wife spent Sunday with his father.

Kimmel H. Finley is visiting his sister, Mrs. Thos. F. Ashmore.

There is no school here this week as the teacher is at home spending Xmas.

Mr. Alfred Biggs, of Charleston, was in our midst Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. L. White, of St. Louis, Mo., is visiting his sister, Mrs. H. Keys.

H. Keys made a business trip to Dan Goodakers' last week.

James B. Garnett was in town Saturday night.

You Can Eat Anything.

Eat what your stomach craves without the slightest fear of indigestion, which is an awful feeling. You will not be bothered with Sour Stomach, Heartburn, Nausea, Bad Breath or Heavy Feeling if you will take one dose of Digestese. It relieves and cures as if by Magic. Pleasant as Candy. Relief in one minute. Get a 50c bottle from the drug department of the St. Bernard Mining Company, Incorporated.

Change in Firm

Thomas Barnett, who for many years has been in the livery business in Madisonville with the firm known as Barnett & Crow, sold his interest to N. L. Southard. The business will now be run under the firm name of Robt. Crow & Co.

Children Shellen

Miss Ora Lee Childers, of Dalton, Ky., a school teacher, and W. F. Shellen, the popular and efficient telephone manager of this city, were married last Wednesday.

The Bee wishes them much happiness and success.

Colored Woman Badly Cut

Osa Bailey, of this city, was severely cut and lashed about the face and body between the hours of 10:00 and 11:00 o'clock Saturday night, at Raggedy Front on North Railroad street. She was cut by another negro woman whose name was not learned. The condition of the negro is not serious, but several ugly scars will be left as a result of the cutting.

Fire Alarm False

Just at 12:00 o'clock Monday the fire alarm was sounded, and the fire department immediately turned out. It however was a false alarm. The smoke had gotten between the ceiling and roof at the residence of Oregon Cansler, and the house was thought to be on fire.

Popular Clerk Gone to Paris

Miss Dodge O'Brien, the popular and efficient head clerk for Barnes Coward & Co., has resigned her position there and gone to Paris, Tenn. She will work in a dry goods store there. Her many friends regret to see her go, but wish her much success in her new home.

Daily Hustler Discontinued

The Daily Hustler has been discontinued after an existence of seven years. The semi-weekly will be issued as heretofore.

John Robinson was in Madisonville Sunday.

George Gammon went to Madisonville Sunday.

Miss Nannie Hall, of Madisonville, visited Miss Beatie Grace Sunday.

Miss Dot Bean visited Mrs. Charlie Williams in Madisonville Sunday.

Misses Artibel and William Gooch Givens, of Madisonville, are ill with typhoid fever.

Lora Bell and Laura Norwood Martin the little daughters of W. N. Martin, are ill at this writing.

P. D. Blanks, of Cloverport, went to Evansville Friday on business.

Miss Mabel Johnson, of Madisonville, was the guest of Miss Virginia Carnahan Friday.

BARGAIN DAY FOR THE BEE

Every Saturday From Now Until
the End of Auto Con-
test The Bee

WILL GIVE NINE THOUSAND VOTES

The Bee has decided to make every Saturday a bargain day and from now until the end of the automobile contest will give 9,000 votes for every new subscriber and 6,000 for every renewal secured on Saturday. If you want to win the \$1,600 auto get busy for the Semi-Weekly Bee.

ENGINEER LOSES LIFE

In Collision When L. & N. Train Crashes
Into Another on Sliding

Knoxville, Tenn., Dec. 30.—Engineer E. R. Henly, of Etowah, Tenn., met instant death and his fireman, Thomas W. Vaughn, of Williamsburg, Ky., was seriously injured when two passenger trains of the Louisville & Nashville road came in collision at Savoy, Ky., eighty-five miles north of Knoxville, Wednesday. The wreck was due to a peculiar circumstance. One train was standing on a siding, but the other came into Savoy so fast that there was not time to change the switch, and it dashed into the standing train. The dead engineer and his fireman did not have time to jump, but the crew of the standing train did, escaping injury. Passengers on both trains were severely shaken, but none except a Mrs. Blakely, of Ashtabula, O., was hurt, her injuries being only slight.

Gone to Her Eternal Resting Place

Mrs. Lewis Hibbs, of Mortons Gap, died at her home Saturday morning, and was buried at Richland Sunday afternoon. She leaves a husband, two children and a host of friends to mourn her loss.

Do You Want Bigger Pay?

If you want bigger pay for your services, or to stop the leaks in your business, or to be a successful business man or woman, take the Draughon Training. For prices on lessons BY MAIL, address JNO. F. DRAUGHON, President, Nashville, Tenn. For catalogue on courses AT COLLEGE, address Draughon's Practical Business College, Nashville, Tenn., or Paducah, Ky., or Evansville, Ind., or Washington, D. C.

THE O. G. SPROUSE CO.

Move Their Goods to Hopkinsville and
will Open a Drygoods Store

The O. G. Sprouse company who have been operating a drygoods store in the Victory building for the past four months have closed out practically all of the old Grand Leader stock and moved the remainder to Hopkinsville where they will open a large drygoods store. Mr. Baggett the manager of this store in an interview with the Semi-weekly Bee said he had never been in a town where there were better people, he furthermore said his firm had sold thousands of dollars worth of goods in the past four months and he attributed a great deal of the firm's success to the splendid pulling power of the advertising done in the Semi-Weekly Bee. The people of Earlington regret much to lose this firm and their unbounded success in their new field.

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HOW THEY SPENT XMAS

By FARMER

Twins No. 87 pulled out of the yard at Earlington, Christmas night. No mines had run the day before, so they were a little light. The conductor told the engineer, "Only twelve hundred ton. Nothing at Mortons for the south, so we ought to make a good run. We've got a good fireman, a pretty good mill, and if we get any show we'll go to town by five o'clock or six o'clock I know."

The engineer answered not a word but looked back at the tank. A full twelve tons of Earlington's best, and to him it did not look rank. He looked at the fireman and then he sighed, for he knew how things would be. The boy had stayed up all Christmas day—even as you and me.

They highballed Mortons and at Nortonville, the heads dropped down in line. The same at Romney—The engineer thought, "We're certainly doing fine." Of course at Goss they had to stop to give her a little drink. And to let the fireman get her hot—leastways so I think.

In the floor white glare from the firehop door, the fireboy toiled and swore.

He hadn't slept any all that day, nor any the night before. He'd gone into Earlington early that morn, had run around all day. With now and then an occasional nip, to pass the time away. And now he felt so very tired—his feet were heavy as lead. His shoulders ached and his eyes felt like two rocks set in his head.

Up through Seldon she commenced to lag—in the cut she lagged some more. So going through Crofton he shut off and let the fireman blow her. On Crofton they had to stop and blow up, she was acting mighty mean. And when they passed the north switch at Kelleys he put on the No. 19.

He ran by and backed in—he had to stay there for No. 94. He had three hours and a half on them and hoped for a little more. But the board dropped white, and he couldn't go to Latbam on what he had.

So he whistled back up and said to himself, here's where we go to the bad.

94 came right on the dot, and it cheered the engineers soul. But the fireman was mad because he wanted a chance to get down more coal. The brakeman was sore and wouldn't help, and the engineer said, it's up to you-- We got two hours on 64, and I'm going to Trenton too.

When he whistled for Pembroke he looked at his watch and then he said, "Oh! I see." Can't possibly go and if we stay here we're stuck for 93. He whistled for the board, and it showed white, so he called the fireboy around. And said, "When we get in the clear."

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